

1. Submission **required** under 37 C.F.R. §1.114: (check items that apply)

## a. Previously submitted:

☐ Please enter and consider the amendment and/or reply previously filed on \_\_\_\_.

☐ Please consider the Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) previously filed on \_\_\_\_ but not considered.

☐ Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply previously filed on \_\_\_\_.

☐ Other \_\_\_\_.

## b. Enclosed are:

☒ Amendment/Reply.

☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s).

☐ Information Disclosure Statement.

☐ Form PTO/SB/08 with copies of \_\_\_\_ listed reference(s).

☐ Other .

## Miscellaneous:

☐ Suspension of action of the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of \_\_\_\_ months.

The filing fee is calculated below:

|                  | Claims as<br>Amended | Previously<br>Paid For | Extra Claims<br>Present | Rate      | Fee Totals |
|------------------|----------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|-----------|------------|
| RCE Fee 1.17(e): |                      |                        |                         | \$790.00  | = \$790.00 |
| Total Claims:    | 18                   | - 20                   | = 0                     | x \$50.00 | = \$0.00   |

|                                                      |   |   |   |   |   |   |          |          |        |          |
|------------------------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|----------|----------|--------|----------|
| Independents                                         | 3 | - | 3 | = | 0 | x | \$200.00 | =        | \$0.00 |          |
| First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims: |   |   |   |   |   |   | +        | \$360.00 | =      | \$0.00   |
| CLAIMS FEE TOTAL:                                    |   |   |   |   |   |   |          |          | =      | \$790.00 |

[ X ] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:

|                                 |                                                           |            |   |            |
|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|------------|---|------------|
| [ ]                             | Extension for response filed within the first month:      | \$120.00   | 0 | \$0.00     |
| [ ]                             | Extension for response filed within the second month:     | \$450.00   |   | \$0.00     |
| [ X ]                           | Extension for response filed within the third month:      | \$1,020.00 |   | \$1,020.00 |
| [ ]                             | Extension for response filed within the fourth month:     | \$1,590.00 |   | \$0.00     |
| [ ]                             | Extension for response filed within the fifth month:      | \$2,160.00 |   | \$0.00     |
| EXTENSION FEE SUBTOTAL:         |                                                           |            |   | \$1,020.00 |
| EXTENSION FEE ALREADY PAID: -   |                                                           |            |   | \$0.00     |
| EXTENSION FEE TOTAL             |                                                           |            |   | \$1,020.00 |
| CLAIMS AND EXTENSION FEE TOTAL: |                                                           |            |   | \$1,810.00 |
| [ ]                             | Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):            |            |   | \$0.00     |
| [ ]                             | Suspension of action requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) |            |   | \$0.00     |
| TOTAL FEE:                      |                                                           |            |   | \$1,810.00 |

The above-identified fees of \$1,810.00 are being paid by credit card via EFS-Web.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by the credit card payment instructions in EFS-Web being incorrect or absent, resulting in a rejected or incorrect credit card transaction, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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